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¶1. (U) Poloff passed to Department of Foreign Affairs Director for Pacific Affairs Alan Deniega agenda items and instructions regarding scheduling bilateral meetings contained in reftel on October 10. Deniega confirmed that Philippine Ambassador to New Zealand (with jurisdiction over Tonga, Samoa, and Fiji) Bienvenido V. Tejano will lead a three-man delegation to the Pacific Island Forum. Deniega added that the GRP intends to offer training assistance to Pacific Islands Forum member states in the field of aquaculture.

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